



# Gilbert Burnet House

## Supported Housing Scheme

Supported housing is accommodation for people who are aged 60 and over, who can live on their own but who would like to have support close by.

We have 33 supported housing schemes across Dacorum with a range of self-contained flats and bungalows. Social gatherings and activities are often available within these schemes.

Gilbert Burnet House in Bennetts End, Hemel Hempstead, is a purpose built supported scheme.

### **This leaflet tells you about:**

- Where Gilbert Burnet House is
- How many flats there are
- What communal facilities there are
- Other supported housing schemes in the area



### **Where is Gilbert Burnet House?**

Gilbert Burnet House is a short walk to Leys Road where there is a range of shops and the community centre. The scheme is on Long John in Bennetts End and the nearest doctors' surgery is Bennetts End Surgery, which is less than 10 minutes' walk away.

### **How many flats are there?**

There are 32 self-contained flats in the scheme.

### **What facilities are there?**

Gilbert Burnet House was built in the 1970s and is in the heart of Bennetts End. There is a launderette and communal lounge, as well as sun room and communal gardens for tenants to use. The scheme is very popular with people who have lived in the area for a long time. There is a guest room for visitors and a residents' car park.

### **What activities do other tenants participate in?**

The tenants at Gilbert Burnet House are a friendly group and the scheme has a real community feel. Tenants meet up for afternoon tea most days in the communal lounge. We

also run tablet courses to help tenants get online as part of our **Tenant Academy**, and a range of other free courses are available.

## **Have you thought about...?**

Other supported housing schemes in the local area are:

- Leys Road and Gatecroft

For more information about supported housing, please contact the Supported Housing team by email: [SupportedHousing@dacorum.gov.uk](mailto:SupportedHousing@dacorum.gov.uk) take a look at our website [www.dacorum.gov.uk/supportedhousing](http://www.dacorum.gov.uk/supportedhousing) or telephone **01442 228000** and ask for **Supported Housing**.

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